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CHAFEE ANNOUNCES \$178,830 GRANT FOR TIDES FAMILY SERVICES

WASHINGTON, DC – U.S. Senator Lincoln Chafee today announced that the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) has awarded a \$178,830 grant to Tides Family Services of West Warwick. The funding is available through the VA-HUD and Independent Agencies Appropriations Act of 2003.

Tides will use this Special Project grant to acquire and renovate two buildings in Providence and Pawtucket.

"I am pleased that HUD has recognized the good work of Tides Family Services with a grant that will allow this agency to continue to provide these important services to the neediest youth and their families," said Senator Chafee.

Tides Family Services is a not-for-profit social service agency for at-risk children, ages 9-12 years old. Tides serves young people in the communities of Central Falls, Coventry, Pawtucket, Providence, Warwick, West Warwick and Woonsocket. Staff includes social workers and outreach workers who meet with children to provide services in schools, their homes, Family Court, and neighborhood community centers.

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